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Promotion and Relegation Season 1958

Final Details Decided

Council resolved last week that the following system will operate for Season 1958:—

STATE LEAGUE: The two bottom Clubs will be relegated — one to FIRST NORTH and the other to FIRST SOUTH.

FIRST NORTH: The top team will be promoted to the STATE LEAGUE.

FIRST SOUTH: The top team will be promoted to the STATE LEAGUE.

FIRST NORTH: The two bottom teams will be relegated to SECOND NORTH.

FIRST SOUTH: The two bottom teams will be relegated to SECOND SOUTH.

SECOND NORTH: The two top teams will be promoted to FIRST NORTH.

SECOND SOUTH: The two top teams will be promoted to FIRST SOUTH.

SECOND NORTH: The two bottom teams will have to apply for re-election.

SECOND SOUTH: The two bottom

teams will have to apply for re-election.

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE: All Clubs in this Division have the right to apply for admission to a higher Division.

As "Soccer News" of July 12, 1958, pointed out, the administration of certain lower Clubs will be carefully examined by the Investigation Committee prior to the commencement of Season 1959.

One well-known Club has had 10 cautions imposed on its players to date, and a further four men have received marching orders, and have been suspended for varying periods. It is logical to assume that the Club will be required to provide the Investigation Committee with reasonable assurances that players will behave next season.

Seventy cautions have been administered this season by referees — 10 to one Club, seven to

another, while a leading Club has had six cautions imposed. But, generally, players have accepted referees' decisions, and we must not be too critical.

The Association does, however, feel that the general administration of Clubs has improved 100 per cent. There are 30 Clubs at present who have not had a player sent off the field or cautioned. In addition, many Clubs meet their commitments regularly, and make strenuous efforts to increase the efficiency of their Clubs. We can be very proud of many of our members.

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Congratulations

"SOCCER NEWS" extends its best wishes to the three Victorians selected for the Australian team which leaves for New Zealand on July 31 — F. Loughran, L. Vella and R. Wemyss.

Bob Wemyss has an impressive number of "caps" for both Australia and Victoria. For Victoria he has been capped 10 times — against South Australia twice, Tasmania once, New South Wales thrice, and Queensland four times. For an Australian Eleven twice — against Hungary and China; and for an Australian Test team twice — against China and Blackpool. Bob has also been captain on nine occasions.

Summary of the World Cup

By L. A. W. PEARCE.

JUST a final summary of this year's World Cup in Sweden. The semi-finals resulted:—

Sweden d. West Germany, 3-1.
Brazil d. France, 5-2.

And the final:

Brazil d. Sweden, 5-2.

In the play-off for third place:

France d. West Germany, 6-3.

This was written by Frank Butler in "News of the World" of June 29 (written the day before the final): "I pick Brazil to beat Sweden. In Stockholm to-day, Sweden meet Brazil to decide who are the World Champions of Soccer. The South American team were the finest I watched in Scandinavia, but Sweden, calmer and more methodical, could upset these Brazilian Bombshells.

"And the Stockholm crowd root in a bigger way for the home side than any crowd at Wembley.

"The Brazilians don't like heavy going, as we saw when England beat them a couple of seasons back. Yet if the sun shines and the pitch is firm, I expect them to turn on a magical Soccer mambo.

"In Didi, their coal-black inside-right, they possess the finest ball-player in the world, and I haven't seen a finer left-back than Nilton Santos.

"While the less brilliant, but more sound football of Sweden may win the day, I stick out my chin and back Brazil to win the World Cup for the first time.

"They stand out as the most colourful footballers in the world. They do with their feet what those basketball giants, the Harlem Globetrotters do with their hands."

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Last Saturday was a memorable one for Bayswater, as both juniors and seniors won. The juniors had to fight hard to defeat a fast and clean-playing Dandenong.

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South Melbourne United Reserve player, Martin Power, was selected last week when regulars, Don Jordon and Peter, were out with injuries. He turned in a good game, too, and may be retained this week.

Alteration to Fixture

AS Sunshine City meet Coburg in the fourth round of the Dockerty Cup on August 2, the First North match — Yallourn v. Coburg — and the First North Reserves match — Yallourn v. Coburg — have been postponed to a future date.

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JUNIOR UNDER 20.

Last Sunday, at Mornington, Juventus defeated Army Apprentices, 5-0.

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Sunday International Competition

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1.00 p.m.: England v. Australia.

3.00 p.m.: Italy v. Yugoslavia.

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Teams for Today

FIRST NORTH DIVISION.

COBURG UTD. v. Hayduk.
Carmichael; Galea, King; W. Clements, Day, A. Clements; Farrugia, McKee, Gilliland, Smith, D. Galea. Res.: Tormey, Mercer.

FIRST DIVISION SOUTH.

SOUTH MELBOURNE UTD. v. Vic. Colts.

Mannerling; Heyes, Eagleton; Annesley, Thompson, Guy; Cottrill, Power, Macleod, Wilson, G. James, Peter.

FRANKSTON v. Yarra Park.

Albers; Piggott, Baker; Rossetto, Bierman, Betts; Wren, Bell, Allan, McMillan, de Yonge, R. Betts.

PARK RANGERS v. Prahran.

Godhold; Willee, Lazenby, Moat; Mulcahy, Stephenson, Watson; McKenzie, Moran, Gauld, Reville, K. West, R. West.

RICHMOND v. Melbourne.

Miler; Larsen, Wenzlaff; Egger, Bieg, Stramm; Landherr, Bormann, Mietz, Aldeschulte, Weiland, Barnack, Klein.

SECOND DIVISION SOUTH.

BAYSWATER v. Vic. Police.

Blaich; Segets, Hennig; Beilharz, E. Fuchs, A. Fuchs; Kaeser, Imberger, Steller, Steller, Ashton. Res.: Wied, Kruit-hof.

SICILIA v. Rosebud.

Rove; Corpaci, Sbarra; Franchin, Contatore, Manno; Giandino, Jivoli, Rella, Rizza, Scarcella.

SANDRINGHAM CITY v. Olympia.

Schenck; Emery, McQuaigue; Faulkner, Sullivan, Hall; Barratt, Doherty, Ward, Milton, Jennings.

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE.

YARRAVILLE BISON v. Yarraville-Collingwood.

Hrusa; De Bono, Sznek; Karalis, Mart, Atlanow; D. Hrusa, McLean, Ingram, Bachitau, Swiaty.

MARTIN & KING v. Moonee Ponds.

Spiteri; Camilleri, Kelsey; Vella, Kambar, Attard; Hili, Cushman, Galea, Saint, P. Camilleri. Res.: Grima, Schluter.

MELITA v. R.A.F.

Zammit; Borg, A. Zammit;

World Cup

RESULTS TO DATE — AND FIXTURES.

First Round.

Italy d. Greece, 3-0.
Hungary d. Czechoslovakia, 7-0.

Second Round.

Australia d. Ireland, 3-1.
Italy d. Ukraine, 3-0.
Scotland d. Holland, 1-0.
Germany d. Austria, 2-1.
England d. Poland, 3-0.
Jugoslavia d. Croatia, 2-0.
Hungary d. Israel, 5-0.
Malta d. Latvia, 2-0.

Third Round.

Malta d. Germany, 3-0.
Scotland d. Hungary, 2-1.

To be Played on 27/7/58.
Australia v. England.
Italy v. Jugoslavia.

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England's Team for World Cup

The following team has been chosen to play for Australia against England:

Goal: Mannerling (South Melbourne).

Right-back: McIvor (Hakoah).

Left-back: Hatley (Slavia).

Right-half: Stewart (Moreland).

Centre-half: Hathaway (George Cross).

Left-half: Drennan (Colts).

Outside-right: Macleod (South Melbourne).

Inside-right: Smith (Moreland).

Centre-forward: Armstrong (Slavia).

Inside-left: Wilson (South Melbourne).

Outside-left: G. James (South Melbourne).

Reserves: Cottrill (South Melbourne), Scott (Brighton), and Falahey (Brighton).

E. Zammit, Benbara, Benarra; Girzte, Manco, Farrugia, Attard, Caesar.

COLLINGWOOD EAGLES v. Yarraville Bison.

Torohoff; Trapla, Matviewski; Nikitenko, Singur, Stirkul; Kreik, Thoma, Johnson, Bolgarov, Pavlov. Res.: Demidow-ski, Kumashov.

How They Stand in Other States

QUEENSLAND

Points Ladder. — First Division: St. Annerley 14, Bundamba 12, Black-Helen's 20, Oxley 19, Hellenic 18, Blackstone 12, Dinmore 12, Y.M.C.A. 9, Thistle 8, Easts 6.

Reserve Division: Annerley 23, Y.M.C.A. 20, Bundamba 19, Oxley 16, Easts 15, St. Helen's 14, Blackstone 13, Thistle 5, Dinmore 4, Hellenic 1.

Second Division: Corinthians 25, Postal Institute 21, Bulimba 16, Azzurri 16, Caledonian 15, Graceville 11, Merton 10, Latrobe 7, White Stars 5, Shafston 2.

NEW SOUTH WALES

First Division North: Cessnock 24, Wallsend 23, W. Wallsend, Adamstown 19, Awaba 14, Blacksmiths 11, E. Lakes, Mayfield, Merewether 10, Cardiff 9, New-castle "A" 5, Weston 2.

First Division South: E.P.T. 23, Leichhardt 24, Balgownie 22, Woonona, Granville 17, Sutherland 16, Corral 15, Manly 12, Auburn 9, North Shore 6, St. George, Pyrmont 3.

Fed. First Division: Auburn 23, Corral 22, Prague 20, Hakoah, Canterbury 19, Gladesville 17, A.P.I.A. 16, Bankstown 15, North Side 10, Sydney Aust. 8, Concord 6, Villawood 3.

Fed. West: Polonia 22, Dalmatinac 21, Blacktown 20, Fairfield, Lidcombe 18, Hellenic 17, Regents Park 14, Concordia, Condell Park 13, Guildford 12, Drummoyne 7, Nova 6.

Fed. East to July 5: Budapest 25, Julia, White Eagles 16, Corinthians 15, Undercliffe 14, Melita, St. George 11, Warriewood 10, Camperdown 4, St. Peters 2.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

First Division: Juventus 24, Lion 20, Polonia, Port Adelaide 16, Budapest 15, Cumberland 13, Victoria, Beograd 11, Birkalla 3, Enfield 1.

WEST AUSTRALIA

First Division: Tricolore 20, Swan V. 16, Azzurri, North Perth 14, South Perth 11, Perth C. 10, Swan Ath. 9, Cracovia 8, East Claremont 5, Fremantle 4.

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Yarraville Bison have selected Mart and Atlanow to replace Korbut and Dubovik, both injured last week.

A Page for the Juniors

Notes

WIRKSPoor Juniors (Morwell) visited Melbourne on Sunday last, July 20, to play the State Under 15 Eleven, and were soundly defeated by 15-1. The State side was superior in all departments. Wirkspoor Juniors, who defeated the Under 14 State Eleven at Morwell on June 29 by 5-1, fought to the end of the game, and in spite of the score were not disgraced. The Under 17 State Eleven will play Essendon Under 20 Eleven at Middle Park next Sunday, July 27.

The Under 14 State Eleven defeated Box Hill Under 15 Eleven at St. Kilda's ground, Middle Park, on Sunday last, July 20. Half-time scores were 3-0 in favour of the State Eleven. Playing fast, direct and open soccer, the State Eleven opened their score within 10 minutes, and again in 17 minutes. Box Hill had a spell of attacking, but rarely penetrated the State defence. Culbard, the State goalie, having only two shots to deal with during the first half. Shortly before half-time, the State Eleven scored again through Stirling. During the second half, the State Eleven scored three more goals without reply. On Sunday, July 27, the Under 14 State Eleven will play St. Kilda's Under 15 Eleven. Kick-off, 2.45 p.m.

Club Secretaries are requested to forward the names of officials interested in acting as selectors for all age groups to either Mr. D. V. Joiner, Secretary; or Mr. J. Threlfall, Assistant Secretary.

Junior Clubs urgently require nets. Essendon, an all-Junior Club, have never been able to afford a new set of nets. Any Senior Club that can assist with a second-hand set of nets, in any condition, please contact the Essendon Secretary, Lindsay Glover, 24 Woolley St., Essendon.

Because of increased competitions, another six trophies are urgently required by the Junior Committee of the V.A.S.F.A. Any intending donor, please contact Mr. A. Kerr, 22 Words-

worth St., Moonee Ponds (FU 6225); or Mr. Len Young, Olympic Park (BM 5309, day; or JU 4071, evening).

Club Secretaries are requested to forward the names of players under the age of 17 who are interested in attending the Summer Junior Coaching and Training School. Mr. Len Young proposes to run two sessions weekly at the National Fitness Council Gymnasium, City. Further particulars may be obtained from Mr. Len Young (BM 5309, day; or JU 4071, evening).

Congratulations to Essendon, assured Premiers of the Under 13, Section A, and Under 15, Section B; also to Brighton, who by their victory over St. Kilda on July 19, are now Premiers of the Under 13, Section B. Keen interest is now centred on the Under 17 Sections, with five Clubs fighting hard for a place in the final four, particularly in Section A, where only five points separate the fifth Club from the leaders. Richmond, in the Under 20 Section, with only three games left to be played, require only two points to be Premiers of this Section.

Draw

LEAGUE FIXTURES, AUGUST 2.

AGE GROUPS 13 and 15. All Sections — A and B. Final fours (to be arranged).

UNDER 17 — SECTION A.

St. Kilda v. Essendon.
Preston v. Coburg.
Fairfield v. Trident.
Sunshine City, bye.

UNDER 17 — SECTION B.

Dandenong v. Brighton.
Box Hill v. Bayswater.
South Melbourne v. Yallourn.
Numawading and Croydon, byes.

UNDER 20 SECTION.

Sunshine City v. Broadmeadows.
St. Kilda v. Prahran.
Army Apprentices v. Box Hill.
Essendon v. Lions.
Juventus v. Richmond.

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Olympic Park Fixtures

JULY

26: Wilhelmina v. Hakoah.
27: Sunday International Matches.

AUGUST

2: Polonia v. Geelong.
3: Hakoah v. Juventus.
9: Box Hill v. Hakoah.
10: Juventus v. J.U.S.T.

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Park Rangers' new-comers, Ern Watson and Tom Reville, late of New Zealand have settled down nicely.

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To the Editor

Improvement Needed in Refereeing

SIR,—I wish to state beforehand that my aim in writing this letter is not to criticise any person in particular, nor to lodge a protest or a complaint. I am actuated solely by the desire as a veteran sportsman and a promoter of sports to serve the general cause of the game.

Anyone who attended last Saturday's Moreland-Juventus game at Olympic Park must have wondered at the display of refereeing which led to the unpleasant incident that followed. Decisions, in the opinion of a majority of spectators, were at times unfair and utterly biased against Juventus. Wittingly or unwittingly, he committed several deplorable mistakes which gave rise to animosity among players and ill-feeling in the crowd.

This is beside the point, and is quite unimportant, as the referee's decisions are irrevocable, no matter whether right or wrong. The fact that I wish to stress is that, if we want to avoid a recurrence of unpleasant incidents such as the one witnessed on Saturday, if we want to see the number of spectators increase instead of dwindling as it does, if we want to avoid the public losing interest in the game — then the standard of refereeing must be improved.

No doubt there are good referees amongst those who usually officiate at games, but there are also some who leave much to be desired. It is indeed no mere coincidence that ill-feeling and incidents occur only when "certain" referees are controlling the games. Surely there must be something wrong with these — be it incompetence, inability to follow closely every phase of the game, or a tendency to being partial.

Such referees are not an asset to Soccer, and in the interest of sport and the welfare of the code their services should be dispensed with.

The Referees' Association should endeavour to improve the standard and qualifications of its members, and should secure new recruits. Candidates, I believe, would not be lacking. I prefer not to comment on the Editorial of last issue of "Soccer News" as the writer would not appreciate my remarks. It was a pity Soccer was hardly mentioned in it!—Yours, etc.,

NINO BORSARI

President, Juventus Club.

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Richmond have acquired a new trainer, in F. Streiberger, who has taken over from Biro.

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TODAY'S FIXTURES

STATE LEAGUE.

Wilhelmina v. Hakoah.
Juventus v. Slavia.
Box Hill v. Brighton.

Hellenic v. Moreland.
Geelong v. J.U.S.T.
George Cross v. Polonia.

STATE LEAGUE RESERVES.
Hakoah v. Wilhelmina.
Slavia v. Juventus.
Brighton v. Box Hill.
Moreland v. Hellenic.
J.U.S.T. v. Geelong.
Polonia v. George Cross.

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE.
C'wood Eagles v. Yarraville.
Martin & King v. Moonee Ponds.
Hollandia v. Rootes.
Oakleigh v. Austria.
Melita v. R.A.A.F.

METROPOLITAN NORTH.

FIRST DIVISION.

Yallourn v. I.C.I.
Coburg v. Hayduk.
Sunshine United v. Sunshine City.
Maccabi v. Brunswick.
Footscray v. Preston.

SECOND DIVISION.

Williamstown v. St. Albans.
Lions v. Heidelberg.
Fairfield v. Florentina.
C. Fert. v. Croatia.
Corio v. University.

FIRST DIVISION RESERVES.

Lions v. Footscray Capri.
Preston v. Maccabi.
Sunshine City v. University.
Heidelberg v. Yallourn.
I.C.I. v. Coburg.

METROPOLITAN SOUTH.

FIRST DIVISION.

South Yarra v. Dandenong.
Park Rangers v. Prahran.
South Melbourne v. Vic. Colts.
Richmond v. Melbourne.
Frankston v. Yarra Park.

SECOND DIVISION.

Ferntree Gully v. Croydon.
Olympia v. Sandringham City.
F.N.D. v. Moorabbin City.
Siellia v. Rosebud.
Bayswater v. Vic. Police.

FIRST DIVISION RESERVES.

Melbourne v. Frankston.
Sandringham City v. Richmond.
Moorabbin v. South Melbourne.
Prahran v. South Yarra.
Dandenong v. Park Rangers.

Saturday's Results

STATE LEAGUE.

Wilhelmina d. Slavia, 5-1.
Juventus d. Brighton, 6-1.
Moreland drew with Box Hill, 3-3.
Geelong d. Hakoah, 1-0.
George Cross d. J.U.S.T., 1-0.
Polonia d. Hellenic, 4-1.

STATE LEAGUE RESERVES.

Wilhelmina d. Slavia, 5-1.
Juventus d. Brighton, 2-1.
Moreland d. Box Hill, 2-0.
Hakoah d. Geelong, W.O.
George Cross d. J.U.S.T., 2-0.
Polonia d. Hellenic, 2-0.

METROPOLITAN NORTH.

First Division.

Sunshine City d. Maccabi, 2-0.
Hayduk d. Sunshine Utd., 3-1.
Coburg d. I.C.I., 4-0.
Footscray d. Brunswick, 7-1.
Preston drew with Yallourn, 2-2.

Second Division.

Florentina d. C. Fert., 9-0.
Fairfield d. Heidelberg, 1-0.
Lions d. St. Albans, 3-2.
Croatia d. Corio, 3-2.
University d. Williamstown, 2-1.

First Division Reserves.

University d. Heidelberg, W.O.
Maccabi d. Sunshine City, 1-0.
Preston d. Footscray Capri, 3-2.
Yallourn d. I.C.I., W.O.
Coburg drew with Lions, 2-2.

METROPOLITAN SOUTH.

First Division.

Richmond d. Vic. Colts, 2-1.
South Melbourne d. Prahran, 8-2.
Park Rangers d. Dandenong, 6-3.
Melbourne d. Frankston, 5-1.
Yarra Park d. South Yarra, 4-1.

Second Division.

Siellia d. Moorabbin City, 3-2.
Sandringham City d. F.N.D., 5-0.
Olympia d. Croydon, 6-2.
Bayswater d. Rosebud, 2-1.
Ferntree Gully d. Vic. Police, 4-3.

First Division Reserves.

South Melbourne d. Prahran, W.O.
Richmond d. Moorabbin, 2-1.
Sandringham City d. Frankston, 3-2.
Dandenong d. South Yarra, 3-1.
Park Rangers d. Melbourne, 5-1.

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE.

Oakleigh d. Rootes, 2-0.
Moonee Ponds d. Hollandia, 5-1.
Yarraville Bison drew with Martin & King, 1-1.
Austria d. Melita, 3-2 (abandoned 73 minutes).
Collingwood Eagles d. R.A.F., 4-2.

ATTENTION, CLUBS!

NOMINATIONS of Junior Officials to act as selectors for the metropolitan teams to play against Latrobe Valley Associations close with the Junior Secretary, Mr. D. V. Joiner, 261 Richardson St., Middle Park, on July 31.

NEXT WEEK'S FIXTURES

STATE LEAGUE.

1 J.U.S.T. v. Wilhelmina. 0
4 Hakoah v. Juventus. 1
2 Slavia v. Box Hill. 4
2 Brighton v. Moreland. 2
0 Polonia v. Geelong. 0
1 George Cross v. Hellenic. 3

STATE LEAGUE RESERVES.

4 Wilhelmina v. J.U.S.T. 1
1 Juventus v. Hakoah. 0
1 Box Hill v. Slavia. 0
4 Moreland v. Brighton. 0
0 Geelong v. Polonia. 1
0 Hellenic v. George Cross. 1

METROPOLITAN NORTH.

First Division.

No fixtures.

Second Division.

No fixtures.

First Division Reserves.

No fixtures.

METROPOLITAN SOUTH.

First Division.

No fixtures.

Second Division.

0 Sandringham City v. Siellia (post-poned from 12/4/58).
1 F.N.D. v. Croydon (postponed from 5/7/58).

First Division Reserves.

No fixtures.

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE.

No fixtures.

DOCKERTY CUP.

Fourth Round.

3 Sunshine City v. Coburg. 2
50 South Yarra v. Footscray Capri. 6
11 Bayswater v. Lions. 1
11 Florentina v. Vic. Colts. 1 ET 4

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Coburg Utd. are holding another of their popular dances on Saturday, July 26, at the Buffalo Hall, Victoria St., Coburg, and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

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VC V JUV
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Second Division

By DON SUTHERLAND.

NORTH.

By virtue of their sound win over St. Albans, Corio have retained their position as undefeated leaders, and the Geelong Club have outstanding Premiership prospects. A stern tussle for the runner-up position is developing between Croatia, Lions and Dockerty Cup "giant killers," Florentina. If goal average should prove decisive, then Lions' 12-1 defeat of Fairfield last week will be very valuable.

University, Williamstown and Heidelberg are all capable of surprising higher-rated teams, and the remaining games of the season are certain to be full of interest.

SOUTH.

Sicilia emerged as clear leaders for the first time after last Saturday's fixtures, when Vic. Police were defeated 4-3 by Fernree Gully in a robust hard-tackling game, the result of which was vital for both Clubs. The Dutchmen from the Gully are making a determined bid to achieve higher status, and should collect two points to-day from unreliable Croydon.

The recent decision to promote two Clubs from each of the Second Divisions has intensified interest in League results. Vic. Police have several hard games ahead, and to-day face a newly confident Bayswater, who need to win if they are to remain as promotion prospects.

Sandringham City returned to form with a 5-0 defeat of F.N.D., but may be making their run rather late. Sandringham's two postponed games against Sicilia have a vital bearing on the Premiership prospects of several Clubs.

Spat at Soccer Umpire; Fined

A 27-year-old New Australian was fined £5 in Richmond Court last week for having spat at a referee at a Soccer match.

Mate Shtimac, of Barton Street, Hawthorn, was charged with offensive behavior.

Constable K. C. Kettle, of Russell Street, said that he attended a Soccer match between Hakoah and J.U.S.T. at Olympic Park on Saturday, June 28.

He saw Shtimac standing on the wire covering over the referee's race when the game finished.

When the referee moved up the race towards the dressing room, Shtimac spat at him through the wire.

Technical Schools Football

RESULTS.

Prahran d. Jordanville, 2-0.
Essendon d. South Melbourne, 2-1.
Brighton drew with Moorabbin, 1-1.
Swinburne drew with Box Hill, 2-2.
Coburg d. Preston, 1-0.
Oakleigh d. Sandringham, 4-1.
Sunshine d. Footscray, 2-0.
Richmond d. Fernree Gully, 6-0.
Collingwood d. Heidelberg, 7-1.
Caulfield d. Dandenong, 3-2.

PREMIERSHIP TABLES.

Northern Zone.					
Team.	W.	L.	D.	B.	P.
Preston	5	1	0	2	28
Collingwood	5	1	0	2	28
Coburg	3	3	1	1	18
Heidelberg	2	4	1	1	14
Genroy	0	6	0	2	8

Southern Zone.					
Team.	W.	L.	D.	B.	P.
Oakleigh	8	0	0	0	32
Brighton	5	2	1	0	22
Caulfield	4	4	0	0	16
Moorabbin	3	4	1	0	14
Sandringham	2	6	0	0	8
Dandenong	1	6	0	0	4

Eastern Zone.					
Team.	W.	L.	D.	B.	P.
Swinburne	5	0	3	0	26
Richmond	5	0	3	0	26
Box Hill	4	2	2	0	20
Prahran	4	2	2	0	20
Fernree Gully	1	7	0	0	4
Jordanville	0	8	0	0	0

Western Zone.					
Team.	W.	L.	D.	B.	P.
Sunshine	7	0	0	1	32
Footscray	3	3	1	1	18
South Melbourne	2	4	1	1	14
Essendon	1	6	0	1	8

Lilydale Soccer Cup Competition

THE second round of the Lilydale Cup Competition was played on Saturday, and the following are the results and also next week's fixtures:—

Lilydale Firsts d. F.T. Gully A. 3-2.
Vic. Police d. V.P. United, 4-0.
Croydon d. Lilydale Seconds, 7-1.
Repco d. F.T. Gully B, 5-2.
Next week's games:
Lilydale Firsts v. Repco.
Lilydale Seconds v. V.P. Utd.
Vic. Police v. F.T. Gully A.
F.T. Gully B v. Croydon.

		GOALS									
Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P	W	D	L	F
Lilydale 1st	8	5	2	1	30	20	12				
F.T. Gully A.	8	5	1	2	32	17	11				
Vic. Police	8	5	1	2	27	14	11				
Croydon	8	4	0	4	25	22	8				
V.P. Utd.	8	3	1	4	22	23	7				
Repco	8	2	3	3	20	28	7				
F.T. Gully B.	8	1	2	5	24	35	4				
Lilydale 2nd	8	2	0	6	11	31	4				

New Secretary for Juventus

CLUBS, please note that the new Secretary of Juventus is Mr. G. F. d'Andrea, 132 Paterson St., North Carlton (phone, FW 6450).

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STATE LEAGUE.

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Juventus	17	11	4	2	36	21	25
Hakoah	15	10	2	3	46	15	22
Slavia	16	9	2	5	26	21	20
Wilhelmina	16	7	5	4	43	19	19
Polonia	16	8	3	5	36	20	19
Box Hill	17	7	4	6	39	42	18
George Cross	17	6	3	8	27	42	15
Moreland	15	4	6	5	23	19	14
J.U.S.T.	15	5	4	6	26	24	14
Geelong	17	5	2	10	18	37	12
Hellenic	16	4	2	10	27	37	10
Brighton	15	2	0	13	11	61	4

State League Reserves.

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Hakoah	14	11	1	2	46	18	23
Moreland	15	10	3	2	35	13	23
Polonia	14	9	4	1	45	15	22
Wilhelmina	14	9	2	3	49	29	20
Juventus	15	7	3	5	36	31	17
J.U.S.T.	13	6	3	4	36	26	15
Geelong	15	5	2	8	24	26	12
Box Hill	15	5	1	9	27	34	11
George C.	14	4	3	7	30	51	11
Brighton	13	4	2	7	26	42	10
Hellenic	15	2	1	12	21	43	5
Slavia	15	1	1	13	24	71	3

METROPOLITAN NORTH.

First Division.

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Feray Cap.	13	12	0	1	56	12	24
Yallourn	12	9	2	1	54	15	20
Sunshine C.	13	10	0	3	34	14	20
Maccabi	13	7	2	4	36	22	16
Preston	13	6	3	4	33	18	15
Hayduk	13	5	2	6	18	33	12
Coburg	12	3	3	6	18	21	9
Brunswick	13	2	1	10	18	46	5
Sunshine U.	13	2	1	10	16	60	5
L.C.I.	13	0	2	11	11	53	2

Second Division.

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Corio	12	10	1	1	51	13	21
Croatia	13	10	1	2	48	15	21
Lions	12	9	1	2	51	15	19
Florentina	12	8	2	2	37	10	18
University	13	7	1	5	32	26	15
W'town	12	4	2	6	17	23	10
Heidelberg	13	3	2	8	24	38	8
St. Albans	13	3	1	9	24	49	7
Fairfield	13	2	1	10	13	61	5
C. Ferl.	13	0	2	11	21	63	2

First Division Reserves.

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Lions	13	11	2	0	55	12	24
Feray Cap.	13	9	2	2	65	13	20
Maccabi	13	8	1	4	43	26	17
Sunshine C.	12	7	1	4	37	12	15
Coburg	12	5	4	3	30	21	14
Yallourn	11	6	2	3	16	12	14
Preston	13	5	1	7	31	43	11
University	13	3	2	8	18	52	7
Heidelberg	13	1	1	11	11	53	3
L.C.I.	13	0	1	12	8	69	1

METROPOLITAN SOUTH.

First Division.

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
South Melb.	13	11	2	0	53	14	24
Yarra Park	13	11	1	1	42	7	23
Richmond	13	11	0	2	42	12	22
Melbourne	13	8	0	5	41	18	16
Dandenong	13	7	1	5	41	28	15
Vic. Colts	13	5	0	8	20	27	10
Park Rang.	13	5	0	8	32	49	10
Prahran	13	3	0	10	13	51	6
Frankston	13	1	0	12	21	53	2
South Yarra	13	1	0	12	15	61	2

Second Division.

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Sicilia	11	10	0	1	29	9	20
Fernree G.	13	9	1	3	41	22	19
Vic. Police	13	8	2	3	37	23	18
Baywater	13	7	1	5	33	34	15
Sham City	11	6	0	5	23	20	12
Mabbin C.	13	3	3	7	31	38	9
Croydon	12	4	1	7	23	33	9
F.N.D.	12	4	1	7	18	36	9
Olympia	13	3	1	9	20	26	7
Rosebud	13	2	2	9	28	42	6

First Division Reserves.

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Richmond	13	12	0	1	68	6	24
Melbourne	13	11	0	2	72	15	22
South Melb	13	11	0	2	60	15	22
Dandenong	13	7	2	4	46	31	16
Frankston	13	7	1	5	43	32	15
Park Rang.	13	7	0	6	45	44	14
Sham City	13	3	0	10	19	73	6
Prahran	13	2	1	10	23	71	5
South Yarra	13	2	0	11	17	76	4
Mabbin	13	0	2	11	12	42	2

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE.

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
M. Ponds	13	8	4	1	54	17	20
Austria	13	8	3	2	56	24	19
C'wood	13	8	2	3	36	17	18
Oakleigh	13	7	3	3	23	13	17
Melita	13	6	4	3	34	18	16
R.A.F.	13	6	2	5	39	30	14
Yarraville	13	4	2	7	24	46	10
Rootes	13	3	3	7	15	23	9
Hollandia	13	2	2	9	19	38	6
M. & K.	13	0	1	12	10	84	1

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UNDER 13 — SECTION "A."

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Essendon	13	12	1	0	70	8	25
Shine City	13	8	3	2	49	26	19
Trident	13	7	2	4	26	15	16
Ajax	12	5	3	4	19	21	13
Marib'g H.	13	6	1	6	18	43	13
Brooklyn H.	13	4	2	7	17	24	10
W'town H.	12	3	0	9	20	52	6

Any queries re League Tables should be made to the Secretary-Manager, V.A.S.F.A., who is responsible for the compilation of same.

UNDER 13 — SECTION "B."

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Brighton	13	13	0	0	52	6	26
St. Kilda	13	10	1	2	85	8	21
B'meadows	13	7	2	4	31	21	16
South Melb.	13	6	1	6	14	27	13
Lions	13	5	1	7	18	31	11
Maccabi	13	4	2	7	27	41	10
Ess. Ascots	6	2	0	4	5	15	4
St. Kilda R.	2	0	0	2	1	3	0

UNDER 15 — SECTION "A."

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Heidelberg	12	12	0	0	56	10	24
Dandenong	13	9	1	3	59	16	19
Box Hill	13	8	0	5	40	22	16
Moorabbin	13	6	0	6	56	35	12
Croydon	13	5	1	7	40	40	11
Lions	13	4	1	8	36	80	9
N'wading H.	12	3	1	8	21	28	7
Wesley Col.	12	1	0	11	4	82	2

UNDER 15 — SECTION "B."

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Essendon	13	13	0	0	65	6	26
Shine City	13	11	0	2	59	16	22
Preston	13	7	2	4	28	25	16
South Yarra	13	6	2	5	16	22	14
South Melb.	13	4	1	8	26	25	12
Ajax	13	4	1	8	8	27	9
Wesley Col.	13	2	1	10	5	70	5

UNDER 17 — SECTION "A."

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Shine City	13	10	0	3	29	11	20
Trident	13	8	2	3	21	10	18
Essendon	13	7	3	3	25	8	17
Preston	13	7	3	3	24	9	17
Fairfield	13	6	3	4	23	20	15
St. Kilda	13	4	1	8	6	14	9
Coburg	13	3	2	8	6	24	8

UNDER 17 — SECTION "B."

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Box Hill	13	11	0	2	52	5	22
Dandenong	13	11	0	2	37	11	22
Brighton	12	9	0	3	54	9	18
South Melb.	13	9	0	4	32	27	15
N'wading H.	13	7	1	5	34	47	15
Baywater	13	5	1	7	22	48	11
Croydon	12	3	2	7	22	51	8
Yallourn	7	2	1	4	6	30	5

UNDER 20.

Team.	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Richmond	13	11	2	0	53	15	24
St. Kilda	13	8	3	2	35	18	19
Shine City	13	8	0	5	47	31	16
Juventus	12	6	3	3	21	18	15
Prahran	13	5	2	6	23	32	12
Lions	12	5	1	6	26	18	11
Box Hill	13	4	2	7	26	30	10
Essendon	13	4	2	7	20	34	10
Army App.	11	4	0	7	35	36	8
B'meadows	13	1	3	9	13	63	5

★ ★ ★
Sandringham City had no trouble in defeating F.N.D. 5-0 last Saturday. The Navy appears to have lost their early season form, and seem to be out of the fight for promotion. City are sorry to say farewell to popular Irish goal-kicker, Joe Cantwell, who has changed employment, and will no longer play for City.

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